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WEST VIRGINIA

Preliminary Population and Housing Unit Counts

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As of April 1, 1980, the population of the State was 1,930,787, according to a preliminary count of the returns of the 1980 census. This figure represents an increase of 186,550, or 10.7 percent, from the 1,744,237 inhabitants enumerated in the 1970 census.

The preliminary count of housing units in the State as of April 1, 1980, was 745,822. This figure, which includes both occupied and vacant housing units, represents an increase of 148,556, or 24.9 percent, from the 597,266 units enumerated in the 1970 census.

This report presents preliminary 1980 census population and housing unit counts for the State, counties,

county subdivisions, incorporated places, standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's), and congressional districts.

For SMSA's which have component parts in another State(s), data shown in this report relate only to this State's portion. For the remainder of the SMSA data, see the appropriate State(s) report.

These preliminary figures will be superseded by the final counts to be shown in Advance Reports, series PHC80-V, which will be issued within the next few months. The final counts are subject to further processing and review and may differ from the preliminary figures.

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The State
Counties
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	Population		Housing units	
	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
The State	1 930 787	1 744 237	745 822	597 266
Bourbon County	16 623	14 030	6 185	5 164
North district	4 916	...	1 973	...
Philippi city (pt.)	1 221	(NA)	614	(NA)
South district	6 075	...	2 305	...
Belington town	2 028	1 567	824	627
Junior town	590	513	206	187
West district	5 632	...	1 907	...
Philippi city (pt.)	1 976	(NA)	583	(NA)
Berkeley County	46 846	36 356	18 549	12 495
Arden district	11 324	8 576	3 839	2 482
Martinsburg city (pt.)	1 628	1 554	669	538
Folling Waters district	3 601	2 225	1 565	1 003
Gerrardstown district	3 099	2 331	1 348	750
Hedgesville district	6 268	3 609	2 521	1 162
Hedgesville town	215	274	79	95
Martinsburg city (pt.)	553	260	181	73
Martinsburg district	10 497	12 453	4 779	4 720
Martinsburg city (pt.)	10 497	12 453	4 779	4 720
Mill Creek district	5 171	3 141	1 866	1 043
Opequon district	6 886	4 021	2 631	1 335
Martinsburg city (pt.)	397	359	173	147
Boone County	30 235	25 118	10 687	8 132
Crook district	6 560	5 366	2 196	1 591
Modison city (pt.)	276	...	89	...
Peytono district	3 664	3 184	1 225	1 003
Scott district	6 661	5 666	2 516	1 975
Oonville town	727	580	263	213
Modison city (pt.)	2 605	2 324	1 083	885
Sherman district	7 282	6 134	2 698	2 090
Sylvester town	260	245	102	91
Whitesville town	700	781	298	322
Washington district	6 068	4 768	2 052	1 473
Modison city (pt.)	328	18	109	7
Broxton County	13 880	12 666	5 566	4 726
Birch district	2 221	1 848	909	706
Holly district	3 714	3 254	1 538	1 250
Flatwoods town (pt.)	217	176	95	79
Sutton town (pt.)	982	912	456	356
Other district	5 002	4 850	2 019	1 721
Gossoway town	1 224	1 253	542	477
Sutton town (pt.)	1 193	119	91	46
Salt Lick district	2 943	2 714	1 100	1 049
Burnsville town	535	591	228	231
Flatwoods town (pt.)	190	44	74	28
Brooke County	30 008	30 443	10 880	9 341
Buffalo district	7 063	...	2 205	...
Beech Bottom village	512	544	181	154
Bethany town	1 343	1 360	218	227
Cross Creek district	5 544	...	1 867	...
Follonsbee city (pt.)	530	(NA)	158	(NA)
Follonsbee district	6 513	...	2 481	...
Follonsbee city (pt.)	3 425	(NA)	1 403	(NA)
Weirton district	5 970	...	2 344	...
Weirton city (pt.)	4 160	4 681	1 727	1 527
Wellsburg district	4 918	...	1 983	...
Wellsburg city	3 972	4 600	1 653	1 639
Cobell County	106 407	106 918	43 574	37 966
Bourbonsville district	16 951	13 908	6 440	4 387
Bourbonsville village	2 840	2 279	1 131	817
Gideon district	39 197	46 112	16 824	16 933
Huntington city (pt.)	39 190	46 112	16 821	16 933
Grant district	12 080	9 233	4 507	3 051
Milton town	2 253	1 597	1 001	619
Guyondotte district	12 996	11 416	4 987	3 714
Huntington city (pt.)	3 798	3 840	1 417	1 228
Kyle district	15 743	18 815	7 472	7 584
Huntington city (pt.)	15 736	18 808	7 469	7 580
McCormick district	5 458	4 069	1 921	1 247
Union district	3 982	3 365	1 423	1 050
Colhoun County	8 181	7 046	3 177	2 487
Center district	2 204	1 907	943	714
Grantsville town	782	795	357	298
Lee district	1 842	1 582	687	558
Sheridan district	1 036	833	378	284
Sherman district	1 505	1 389	608	481
Washington district	1 594	1 335	561	450
Cloy County	11 221	9 330	4 126	3 370
Buffalo district	1 565	1 302	609	562
Henry district	3 968	3 129	1 481	1 115
Cloy town	958	479	389	173
Other district	986	1 192	369	444
Pleasant district	3 031	2 448	1 003	713
Union district	1 671	1 259	664	536
Doddridge County	7 421	6 389	3 170	2 533
Central district	989	850	362	274
Cove district	216	156	100	79
Grant district	1 179	1 016	472	313
Greenbrier district	795	674	265	210
McClellan district	1 185	957	538	411

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	Population		Housing units	
	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
Ooddridge County—Con.				
New Milton district	535	313	218	170
Southwest district	281	215	119	84
West Union district	2 241	2 208	1 096	992
West Union town	1 079	1 141	481	467
Fayette County	57 155	49 332	21 401	16 929
New Haven district	17 216	...	6 483	...
Ansted town	1 936	1 511	795	566
Fayetteville town	2 339	1 712	874	634
Meadow Bridge town	518	429	214	153
Plateau district	24 513	...	9 444	...
Mount Hope city	1 829	1 829	759	703
Oak Hill city	7 069	4 738	2 929	1 794
Pox town	275	288	107	117
Thurmond town	66	86	22	37
Volley district	15 426	...	5 474	...
Gouley Bridge town	1 134	...	477	...
Montgomery city (pt.)	2 219	1 786	548	463
Smithers city (pt.)	1 439	1 837	578	602
Gilmer County	8 321	7 782	3 146	2 664
Center district	2 049	1 736	775	629
De Kolb district	946	844	379	319
Glenville district	4 324	4 386	1 569	1 379
Glenville town	2 131	2 183	766	622
Loyopolis town	281	252	111	92
Troy district	1 002	816	423	337
Grant County	10 218	8 607	4 071	2 999
Grant district	1 809	1 522	708	509
Milroy district	5 652	4 858	2 260	1 709
Petersburg city	2 071	2 177	894	782
Union district	2 757	2 227	1 103	781
Boyard town	547	475	220	188
Greenbrier County	37 334	32 090	15 075	11 727
Anthony Creek district	1 110	563	538	269
Blue Sulphur district	2 984	2 498	1 179	960
Alderson town (pt.)	1 117	892	488	384
Folling Springs district	1 110	915	496	349
Folling Springs town	236	255	108	95
Fort Spring district	5 202	4 299	2 169	1 595
Ronceverte city (pt.)	2 154	1 981	851	741
Frankford district	2 070	1 522	837	532
Irish Corner district	2 242	2 148	806	694
Ronceverte city (pt.)	30	...	12	...
Lewisburg district	5 940	4 326	2 449	1 626
Lewisburg city	3 063	2 407	1 352	959
Meadow Bluff district	9 726	9 346	3 830	3 451
Quinwood town	464	370	200	153
Roinelle town	1 986	1 826	829	724
Rupert town	1 276	1 027	515	375
White Sulphur district	5 543	5 353	2 231	1 809
White Sulphur Springs city	3 355	2 869	1 433	1 025
Williamsburg district	1 407	1 120	540	442
Hampshire County	14 864	11 710	6 982	4 951
Bloomery district	1 367	1 005	708	503
Capon Bridge town (pt.)	54	68	23	30
Capon district	1 507	990	845	568
Capon Bridge town (pt.)	133	143	57	61
Gore district	2 564	1 757	1 162	740
Mill Creek district	708	659	333	242
Romney district	3 799	4 049	1 552	1 408
Romney city	2 091	2 364	832	806
Sherman district	2 695	1 604	1 194	611
Springfield district	2 224	1 646	1 188	879
Hancock County	40 809	39 749	15 115	12 489
Butler district	16 114	...	5 941	...
Weirton city (pt.)	16 114	(NA)	5 941	(NA)
Cloy district	10 072	5 091	3 729	1 481
New Cumberland city (pt.)	748	(NA)	288	(NA)
Weirton city (pt.)	4 799	(NA)	1 952	(NA)
Grant district	14 623	...	5 445	...
Chester city	3 299	3 614	1 401	1 302
New Cumberland city (pt.)	1 009	(NA)	355	(NA)
Hordy County	10 051	8 855	4 469	3 311
Capon district	1 758	1 520	818	634
Wordensville town	253	288	110	117
Lost River district	2 022	1 939	970	749
Moorefield district	3 814	3 307	1 661	1 229
Moorefield town (pt.)	1 810	1 751	765	628
South Fork district	2 457	2 089	1 020	699
Moorefield town (pt.)	459	373	208	133
Harrison County	77 488	73 028	30 091	26 119
North Clarksburg district	13 699	...	6 269	...
Clarksburg city (pt.)	13 699	(NA)	6 269	(NA)
Northern district	12 370	...	4 503	...
Lumberport town	930	957	356	376
Shinnston city	3 056	2 576	1 188	968
South Clarksburg district	8 423	...	3 684	...
Clarksburg city (pt.)	8 423	(NA)	3 684	(NA)
Southeast district	16 844	...	6 154	...
Anmoore town	844	944	291	292
Bridgeport city	6 655	4 777	2 516	1 565
Lost Creek town	596	571	213	198

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	Population		Housing units	
	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
Harrison County—Con.				
Southwest district	14 905	...	5 125	...
Salem city	2 701	2 597	888	785
West Milford town	513	356	185	132
Suburban district	11 247	...	4 356	...
Nutter Fort town	2 079	2 379	903	846
Stonewood city	2 052	1 950	795	659
Jackson County	25 597	20 903	9 342	6 915
Grant district	1 670	1 215	601	458
Rovenswood district	8 649	7 731	3 208	2 451
Rovenswood city	4 126	4 240	1 595	1 361
Ripley district	9 974	7 642	3 658	2 578
Ripley city	3 424	3 244	1 336	1 113
Union district	2 702	2 396	974	738
Washington district	2 602	1 919	901	690
Jefferson County	30 311	21 280	11 534	7 411
Charles Town district	12 646	9 994	4 846	3 310
Charles Town city	2 862	3 023	1 170	1 073
Ranson town	2 476	2 189	892	687
Harpers Ferry district	4 942	3 572	2 082	1 325
Bolivar town	675	943	293	302
Harpers Ferry town	360	423	178	186
Kobletown district	2 632	1 739	1 277	869
Middleway district	4 947	2 264	1 681	724
Shepherdstown district	5 144	3 711	1 648	1 183
Shepherdstown town	1 775	1 688	425	401
Kanawha County	223 883	229 515	90 578	78 999
District 1	47 452	...	18 063	...
Belle town	1 586	1 786	682	652
Cedar Grove town	1 438	1 275	548	447
Chesapeake town	2 257	2 428	989	823
East Bank town	1 147	1 025	439	353
Glasgow town	977	904	376	302
Handley town	630	...	217	...
Mormet town	2 188	2 339	888	816
Montgomery city (pt.)	875	739	450	283
Prott town	793	671	311	231
Smithers city (pt.)	2	183	1	44
District 2 district	40 914	...	16 406	...
Charleston city (pt.)	24 075	24 302	9 709	8 449
South Charleston city (pt.)	7 664	8 823	3 318	3 215
District 3 district	46 675	...	18 327	...
Nitro city (pt.)	6 657	6 703	2 598	2 213
St. Albans city	12 236	14 356	5 040	4 813
South Charleston city (pt.)	7 948	7 510	3 372	2 865
District 4 district	50 653	...	19 621	...
Clendenin town	1 210	1 438	579	506
Dunbar city	9 195	9 151	4 009	3 255
District 5 district	38 189	47 203	18 161	18 704
Charleston city (pt.)	38 189	47 203	18 161	18 704
Lewis County	18 894	17 847	7 151	5 860
Collins Settlement district	1 918	1 452	766	602
Court House district	4 571	5 612	1 623	1 448
Weston city (pt.)	2 557	3 613	915	794
Freemans Creek district	6 547	5 514	2 495	1 937
Weston city (pt.)	2 280	2 169	945	814
Hockers Creek district	5 133	4 509	1 985	1 616
Jane Lew town	413	397	185	161
Weston city (pt.)	1 436	1 541	620	590
Skin Creek district	725	760	282	257
Lincoln County	22 860	18 912	8 101	5 984
Corroll district	3 769	3 152	1 434	1 094
Homlin town	1 193	1 024	494	406
Duval district	3 417	2 717	1 221	880
Harts Creek district	3 822	2 892	1 268	799
Jefferson district	1 388	954	448	302
Laurel Hill district	2 557	2 400	839	706
Sheridan district	4 408	4 037	1 575	1 270
West Homlin town	646	715	279	259
Union district	756	667	249	211
Washington district	2 743	2 093	1 067	722
Ligon County	50 511	46 269	17 148	14 602
Guyon district	14 918	12 184	5 067	3 749
Chopmonville town	1 140	1 175	430	382
Mitchell Heights town	338	524	129	175
West Ligon town	638	685	252	241
Island Creek district	15 077	13 523	5 172	4 369
Ligon district	8 416	8 944	3 147	3 123
Ligon city	3 006	3 311	1 314	1 385
Triadelphia district	12 100	11 618	3 762	3 361
Mon town	1 331	1 201	491	523
McDowell County	49 550	50 666	17 156	15 592
Adkin district	6 356	7 068	2 273	2 112
Anowolt town	627	801	270	252
Gory city	2 215	...	846	...
Welch city (pt.)	119	...	52	...
Big Creek district	10 508	10 173	3 582	3 224
Wor city	2 149	2 004	785	669
Browns Creek district	14 757	15 686	5 399	5 107
Dovy town	881	993	299	340
Keystone city	885	1 008	364	397
Kimbolt town	855	962	339	354

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	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
McDowell County—Con.				
Browns Creek district—Con.				
Welch city (pt.)	3 729	4 149	1 609	1 556
Elkhorn district	2 220	2 689	733	782
Northfork town (pt.)
North Fork district	2 991	3 450	1 073	1 103
Northfork town (pt.)	643	737	266	257
Sandy River district	12 718	11 600	4 096	3 264
Joeger town	794	822	296	284
Marion County	65 525	61 356	26 142	22 264
Fairmont district	19 233	20 227	8 390	7 645
Borrockville town	1 818	1 545	738	565
Fairmont city (pt.)	14 514	16 460	6 598	6 294
Grant district	7 414	5 855	2 742	2 062
Fairmont city (pt.)	2 259	1 819	845	619
Monongah town (pt.)	562	642	237	238
Worthington town (pt.)
Lincoln district	8 641	7 984	3 084	2 692
Formington town	581	595	248	236
Monongah town (pt.)	568	552	201	186
Worthington town (pt.)	328	288	137	118
Monongalia County	6 266	5 641	2 439	2 059
Monnington city	3 017	2 747	1 244	1 064
Pow Pow district	6 256	5 233	2 380	1 890
Fairview town	760	640	320	244
Grant Town town	958	946	357	343
Rivesville town	1 328	1 108	560	406
Union district	12 709	12 064	5 209	4 478
Fairmont city (pt.)	5 930	6 495	2 559	2 494
Winfield district	5 006	4 352	1 898	1 438
Fairmont city (pt.)	1 178	1 319	514	452
Marshall County	41 391	37 598	15 501	12 350
District 1 district	12 941	...	4 855	...
Benwood city	1 995	2 737	890	1 025
McMechen city	2 406	2 808	1 020	1 015
Wheeling city (pt.)	194	...	79	...
District 2 district	12 405	...	4 779	...
Moundsville city	12 405	13 560	4 779	4 495
District 3 district	16 045	...	5 867	...
Cameron city	1 473	1 537	617	633
Glen Dale city	1 871	2 150	741	684
Mason County	26 763	24 306	10 224	8 252
Arbuckle district	1 165	1 048	431	380
Clendenin district	3 943	3 107	1 409	1 010
Henderson town	598	496	236	169
Cologne district	1 251	1 155	493	419
Leon town	236	192	108	78
Copper district	1 678	1 270	667	515
Grohom district	2 932	2 651	1 140	905
Hartford City town (pt.)	257	259	128	95
New Haven town	1 721	1 538	669	544
Hannon district	2 153	1 835	806	611
Lewis County	7 135	7 437	2 792	2 609
Point Pleasant city (pt.)	5 319	6 122	2 177	2 186
Robinson district	2 279	1 858	813	446
Point Pleasant city (pt.)	343	...	135	...
Union district	1 073	1 058	445	398
Woggeners district	3 154	2 887	1 228	959
Hartford City town (pt.)	295	268	107	82
Mason town	1 378	1 319	566	441
Mercer County	73 363	63 206	28 323	21 716
District No. 1 district	22 909	...	9 200	...
Bluefield city	15 882	15 921	6 535	6 038
District No. 2 district	26 669	...	10 732	...
Princeton city	7 429	7 253	3 366	2 844
District No. 3 district	23 785	...	8 391	...
Athens town	1 124	967	516	372
Bromwell town	992	1 125	391	388
Motooko town	607	608	263	255
Ookvole town	212	292	72	83
Mineral County	27 159	23 109	10 198	7 849
Cabin Run district	2 219	1 315	833	426
Elk district	1 507	1 313	566	455
Elk Garden town	291	...	112	95
Frankfort district	9 637	7 440	3 521	2 507
Ridgeley town	995	1 112	422	406
New Creek district	10 628	9 806	4 032	3 323
Keyser city	6 579	6 586	2 647	2 341
Piedmont district	1 794	2 158	741	758
Piedmont town	1 491	1 763	645	630
Wellton district	1 374	1 077	505	380
Mingo County	37 052	32 780	12 504	10 022
Hordee district	3 760	3 093	1 222	874
Harvey district	2 451	1 929	731	465
Kermit district	2 778	2 271	864	646
Kermit town	712	716	246	232
Lee district	4 305	3 374	1 419	1 049
Delbarton town	987	903	336	281
Magnolia district	7 079	6 489	2 401	1 890
Motewon town	803	651	301	242
Stofford district	7 153	5 886	2 277	1 622
Gilbert town	762	778	286	251

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	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
Mingo County—Con.				
Tug River district	4 362	3 907	1 440	1 229
Williamson district	5 164	5 831	2 150	2 147
Williamson city	5 164	5 831	2 150	2 147
Monongalia County	75 240	63 714	29 098	21 094
Central district	29 140	...	11 072	...
Morgantown city (pt.)	27 326	(NA)	10 207	(NA)
Stor City town	1 446	1 312	671	463
Eastern district	26 655	...	10 750	...
Morgantown city (pt.)	239	(NA)	138	(NA)
Western district	19 445	...	7 276	...
Blocksville town	248	264	103	106
Gronville town	998	1 027	408	338
Osage town	285	322	114	133
Westover city	4 891	5 086	2 020	1 750
Monroe County	12 857	11 272	5 165	3 846
Red Sulphur district	5 023	3 912	1 897	1 373
Peterstown town	640	563	277	226
Second Creek district	1 172	989	452	316
Springfield district	1 931	1 617	755	601
Sweet Springs district	1 755	1 528	771	533
Union district	1 802	1 549	767	595
Union town	728	566	335	239
Wolf Creek district	1 174	1 677	523	428
Alderson town (pt.)	259	386	141	160
Morgan County	10 696	8 547	4 879	3 422
Allen district	1 786	1 243	667	464
Both district	3 863	3 648	1 630	1 365
Both (Berkeley Springs) town	793	944	412	420
Cocapon district	2 037	1 844	1 046	875
Paw Pow town	644	706	258	250
Rock Gap district	1 250	645	579	255
Sleepy Creek district	965	640	536	231
Timber Ridge district	795	527	421	232
Nicholas County	28 071	22 552	10 402	7 442
Beaver district	9 340	8 089	3 574	2 775
Richwood city	3 552	3 717	1 495	1 354
Grant district	1 463	1 129	522	347
Hamilton district	3 119	2 505	1 092	804
Jefferson district	2 403	2 064	823	650
Kentucky district	4 377	3 499	1 484	1 068
Summersville district	4 809	3 511	1 796	1 172
Summersville town	2 974	2 429	1 153	820
Wilderness district	2 560	1 755	1 111	626
Ohio County	61 464	63 439	24 487	22 398
Liberty Triadelphia district	11 656	...	3 871	...
Triadelphia town (pt.)	1 250	(NA)	479	(NA)
Volley Grove village	600	509	214	182
West Liberty town	745	...	306	...
Wheeling city (pt.)	3 952	(NA)	1 542	(NA)
Madison Union Clay Washington district	18 723	...	8 152	...
Wheeling city (pt.)	14 246	(NA)	6 613	(NA)
Richmond Washington district	6 168	...	2 562	...
Cleerview village	740	512	240	142
Wheeling city (pt.)	5 428	(NA)	2 322	(NA)
Ritchie Webster Center district	10 036	...	4 135	...
Bethlehem village	2 679	2 461	966	812
Wheeling city (pt.)	6 214	(NA)	2 735	(NA)
Triadelphia district	14 881	...	5 767	...
Triadelphia town (pt.)	207	(NA)	79	(NA)
Wheeling city (pt.)	13 107	(NA)	5 120	(NA)
Pendleton County	7 935	7 031	3 679	2 585
Bethel district	915	817	491	361
Circleville district	1 037	839	470	303
Franklin district	2 621	2 032	1 196	777
Franklin town	790	695	317	275
Mill Run district	1 222	1 156	486	368
Sugar Grove district	949	920	489	336
Union district	1 191	1 267	547	440
Pleasants County	8 245	7 274	3 029	2 322
Grant district	1 708	1 526	625	481
Belmont city	889	802	319	257
Jefferson district	672	458	220	142
Lafayette district	378	311	129	95
McKim district	963	603	341	189
Union district	1 727	1 369	532	312
St. Marys city (pt.)	293	109	114	35
Washington district	2 797	3 007	1 182	1 103
St. Marys city (pt.)	1 923	2 239	892	878
Pocahontas County	9 930	8 870	5 456	3 551
Edroy district	3 764	3 228	1 984	1 272
Morlinton town (pt.)	1 357	1 286	586	518
Greenbank district	3 091	2 894	1 865	1 156
Cass town	148	173	87	94
Durbin town	383	347	190	153
Huntersville district	1 196	1 052	705	447
Morlinton town (pt.)	6	...	1	...
Little Levels district	1 879	1 696	902	676
Hillsboro village	277	267	131	107

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	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
Preston County	30 468	25 455	11 475	8 670
Grant district	2 199	1 699	891	694
Brandonville town	90	82	40	32
Bruceton Mills town	296	209	161	73
Kingwood district	7 039	5 993	2 599	2 036
Kingwood city	2 859	2 550	1 164	916
Tunnelton town	500	369	208	167
Lyon district	2 100	1 723	763	588
Newburg town	417	457	160	158
Pleasant district	1 991	1 559	774	530
Portland district	5 073	4 111	1 952	1 405
Albright town	361	319	139	118
Rowlesburg town (pt.)	134	104	49	33
Terra Alto town	1 937	1 474	801	534
Reno district	4 135	3 648	1 542	1 222
Rowlesburg town (pt.)	847	725	339	276
Union district	2 198	1 841	876	635
Rowlesburg town (pt.)	—	—	—	—
Valley district	5 733	4 881	2 078	1 560
Mosstown town	1 062	868	426	303
Reedsville town	566	379	207	147
Putnam County	36 754	27 625	13 679	9 097
Buffalo district	2 946	2 254	1 170	814
Buffalo town	1 045	831	403	286
Eleonor town (pt.)	—	—	—	—
Curry district	8 176	6 268	2 943	2 016
Hurricane city (pt.)	3 104	2 711	1 177	886
Pocotolico district	7 658	6 332	2 958	2 040
Boncroft town	536	446	205	147
Nitra city (pt.)	1 274	1 316	510	444
Poco town (pt.)	1 115	772	389	230
Scott district	9 414	5 673	3 531	1 849
Poco town (pt.)	—	—	—	—
Winfield town	324	328	139	119
Teays Valley district	3 816	2 976	1 370	955
Hurricane city (pt.)	550	780	178	241
Union district	4 744	4 122	1 707	1 423
Eleonor town (pt.)	1 267	1 035	458	347
Roanoke County	85 899	70 080	31 887	23 478
District 1 district	29 941	...	10 697	...
Beckley city (pt.)	1 711	(NA)	700	(NA)
Lester town	626	507	229	171
Mobscott town	1 663	1 254	614	435
Rhodell town	458	500	177	163
Sophia town	1 193	1 303	459	445
District 2 district	23 665	...	8 845	...
Beckley city (pt.)	6 455	(NA)	2 875	(NA)
District 3 district	32 293	...	12 345	...
Beckley city (pt.)	12 171	(NA)	5 126	(NA)
Randolph County	28 784	24 596	11 061	8 587
Beverly district	3 446	2 445	1 375	835
Beverly town	485	470	201	169
Dry Fork district	1 752	1 693	760	621
Hormon town	180	142	79	58
Huttonsville district	2 952	2 177	935	592
Huttonsville town	243	167	99	67
Mill Creek town	814	800	305	255
Leadsville district	13 993	12 662	5 372	4 427
Elkins city	8 536	8 287	3 378	2 964
Middle Fork district	1 103	902	470	354
Mingo district	1 120	1 044	602	516
New Interest district	997	755	352	281
Montrose village	128	115	48	35
Roaring Creek district	1 700	1 508	584	476
Wamelsdorf town	301	234	113	76
Valley Bend district	1 721	1 410	611	485
Ritchie County	11 415	10 145	4 837	3 766
Cloy district	4 114	3 665	1 684	1 332
Ellenboro town	357	267	134	93
Pennsboro city	1 659	1 614	722	625
Grant district	2 240	2 034	959	771
Cairo town	432	412	170	146
Murphy district	1 747	1 520	742	513
Union district	3 314	2 926	1 452	1 150
Auburn town	115	115	49	50
Harrisville town	1 670	1 464	751	580
Pullman town	196	157	84	62
Roane County	15 799	14 111	6 023	5 043
Curtis district	865	569	318	234
Geory district	2 355	1 946	863	664
Harper district	929	683	380	323
Reedy district	1 109	1 105	411	442
Reedy town	340	351	131	143
Smithfield district	1 646	1 491	639	546
Spencer district	6 969	6 573	2 697	2 168
Spencer city	2 802	2 271	1 216	955
Wolton district	1 926	1 744	715	666
Summers County	15 314	13 213	6 559	5 300
Blue Stone River district	3 577	...	1 384	...
Greenbrier River district	7 943	...	3 638	...
Hinton city (pt.)	3 298	(NA)	1 449	(NA)
New River district	3 794	...	1 537	...

Table 1. **Population and Housing Unit Counts for the State by Counties and County Subdivisions: 1980 and 1970—Con.**

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	Population		Housing units	
	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
Summers County—Con.				
New River district—Con.				
Hinton city (pt.)	1 111	(NA)	452	(NA)
Taylor County	16 616	13 878	6 515	5 157
Central district	4 447	...	1 905	...
Grafton city (pt.)	4 447	(NA)	1 905	(NA)
Eastern district	5 528	...	2 188	...
Grafton city (pt.)	2 398	(NA)	957	(NA)
Western district	6 641	...	2 422	...
Flemington town	450	458	173	155
Tucker County	8 657	7 447	3 801	2 783
Black Fork district	4 351	3 899	1 705	1 423
Hendricks town	391	317	156	111
Parsons city	1 935	1 784	805	697
Clover district	330	312	136	109
Davis district	1 080	983	490	416
Davis town	971	868	425	381
Ory Fork district	717	521	445	198
Fairfax district	1 110	930	445	379
Thomas city	750	713	336	296
Licking district	239	159	202	53
St. George district	830	643	378	205
Tyler County	11 306	9 929	4 595	3 529
Centreville district	597	486	277	230
Ellsworth district	2 918	2 384	1 111	830
Middlebourne town	941	814	385	302
Lincoln district	4 709	4 559	1 886	1 553
Poden City city (pt.)	1 139	1 125	425	361
Sistersville city	2 367	2 246	999	830
McElroy district	1 107	1 075	465	413
Meade district	523	412	226	171
Union district	1 452	1 013	630	332
Friendly town	229	190	81	68
Upshur County	23 541	19 092	9 005	6 657
Banks district	2 458	2 059	1 010	690
Buckhannon district	10 173	9 733	3 900	3 287
Buckhannon city (pt.)	6 279	7 013	2 372	2 312
Meade district	2 389	1 832	897	668
Union district	3 553	2 086	1 476	811
Buckhannon city (pt.)	584	248	247	85
Warren district	1 837	1 358	609	490
Washington district	3 131	2 024	1 113	711
Wayne County	45 095	37 581	16 812	12 357
Butler district	5 141	4 237	1 874	1 422
Fort Goy town	883	792	349	263
Ceredo district	13 122	10 387	5 005	3 455
Ceredo city (pt.)	2 060	1 583	836	522
Kenovo city	4 423	4 860	1 878	1 712
Lincoln district	5 498	3 998	1 867	1 211
Stonewall district	3 697	2 966	1 304	947
Union district	9 780	6 952	3 653	2 288
Wayne town	1 480	1 385	624	490
Westmoreland district	7 857	9 041	3 109	3 034
Ceredo city (pt.)	147	...	48	...
Huntington city (pt.)	4 902	5 555	2 002	1 971
Webster County	12 306	9 809	4 778	3 616
Fork Lick district	4 551	3 319	1 830	1 333
Addison town	937	1 038	432	426
Glade district	5 533	4 479	2 033	1 554
Camden-On-Gouley town	234	243	88	92
Cowen town	728	467	279	171
Hacker Valley district	801	701	344	260
Holly district	1 421	1 310	571	469
Wetzel County	21 908	20 314	8 244	7 044
Center district	1 001	813	372	275
Church district	1 657	1 480	714	645
Hundred town	492	475	246	233
Cloy district	707	734	305	294
Littleton town	335	333	139	149
Grant district	3 004	3 070	1 085	1 082
Pine Grove town	509	630	202	231
Smithfield town	281	294	125	117
Green district	2 411	2 063	839	693
Magnolia district	11 815	10 894	4 463	3 653
New Martinsville city	7 122	6 528	2 756	2 256
Poden City city (pt.)	2 526	2 549	940	839
Proctor district	1 313	1 260	466	402
Wirt County	4 652	4 154	2 022	1 740
Burning Springs district	603	653	239	283
Cloy district	406	324	195	173
Elizabeth district	1 839	1 715	796	676
Elizabeth town	802	821	338	308
Newark district	806	466	326	183
Reedy district	406	347	195	147
Spring Creek district	306	267	161	138
Yucker district	286	382	110	140
Wood County	92 064	86 818	36 017	29 655
Cloy district	5 451	3 944	2 029	1 253
Horris district	1 404	1 243	541	441
Lubeck district	10 358	8 757	3 592	2 710

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	Population		Housing units	
	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
Wood County—Con.				
Lubeck district—Con.				
Parkersburg city (pt.)	1 501	1 655	545	551
Parkersburg district	36 028	40 222	15 651	14 658
North Hills town (pt.)	234	...	70	...
Parkersburg city (pt.)	25 986	30 950	11 827	11 813
Vienna city (pt.)	6 069	5 903	2 389	1 842
Slate district	3 403	1 724	1 163	554
Steele district	1 196	1 044	441	342
Tygart district	15 458	14 944	5 890	4 891
Parkersburg city (pt.)	11 916	11 603	4 589	3 820
Union district	3 748	2 431	1 225	779
Walker district	1 265	1 085	433	348
Williams district	13 753	11 424	5 052	3 679
North Hills town (pt.)	708	...	190	...
Vienna city (pt.)	5 413	5 646	2 056	1 816
Williamstown city	2 718	2 743	1 027	922
Wyoming County	35 850	30 095	12 151	8 834
Baileysville district	3 026	2 061	991	629
Barkers Ridge district	3 886	3 723	1 279	1 056
Mullens city (pt.)	12	12	7	7
Center district	6 316	5 165	2 267	1 501
Pineville town	1 139	1 187	469	394
Clear Fork district	2 466	2 187	777	577
Huff Creek district	2 927	2 156	985	583
Oceana district	9 152	7 242	3 056	2 058
Oceana town	2 140	1 580	785	509
Slab Fork district	8 077	7 561	2 796	2 430
Mullens city (pt.)	2 913	2 955	1 193	1 142

Table 2. **Population and Housing Unit Counts for Incorporated Places: 1980 and 1970**

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Incorporated Places		Population		Housing units		Incorporated Places		Population		Housing units	
		1980 (preliminary)	1970	1980 (preliminary)	1970			1980 (preliminary)	1970	1980 (preliminary)	1970
Addison town	Webster	937	1 038	432	426	Hillsboro village	Pacahantas	277	267	131	107
Albright town	Preston	361	319	139	118	Hinton city	Summers	4 409	4 503	1 901	1 853
Aldersan town	Total	1 376	1 278	629	544	Hundred town	Wetzel	492	475	246	233
	Greenbrier (pt. in)	1 117	892	488	384	Huntington city	Total	63 626	74 315	27 709	27 712
Anawalt town	Manroe (pt. in)	259	386	141	160		Cabell (pt. in)	58 724	68 760	25 707	25 741
Anmoore town	McDowell	627	801	270	252		Wayne (pt. in)	4 902	5 555	2 002	1 971
Ansted town	Harrison	844	944	291	292	Hurricane city	Putnam	3 654	3 491	1 355	1 127
Athens town	Fayette	1 936	1 511	795	566	Huttonsville town	Randolph	243	167	99	67
Auburn town	Mercer	1 124	967	516	372	Joeger town	McDowell	794	822	296	287
Bancraft town	Ritchie	115	115	49	50	Jane Lew town	Lewis	413	397	185	161
Barboursville village	Putnam	536	446	205	147	Junior town	Barbour	590	513	206	187
Barrockville town	Cabell	2 840	2 279	1 131	817	Kenova city	Wayne	4 423	4 860	1 878	1 712
Bath Berkeley Springs town	Morgan	718	1 545	738	565	Kermit town	Mingo	712	716	246	232
		793	944	412	420	Keyser city	Mineral	6 579	6 586	2 647	2 341
Bayard town	Grant	547	475	220	188	Keystone city	McDowell	885	1 008	364	397
Beckley city	Raleigh	20 337	19 884	8 701	7 297	Kimball town	McDowell	855	962	339	354
Beech Bottom village	Braoke	512	544	181	154	Kingwood city	Preston	2 859	2 550	1 164	916
Belington town	Barbour	2 028	1 567	824	627	Layapolis town	Gilmer	281	252	111	92
Belle town	Kanawha	1 586	1 786	682	652	Leon town	Mason	236	192	108	78
Belmont city	Pleasant	889	802	319	257	Lester town	Raleigh	626	507	229	171
Benwood city	Marshall	1 995	2 737	890	1 025	Lewisburg city	Greenbrier	3 063	2 407	1 352	959
Bethany town	Braoke	1 343	1 360	218	227	Liffletan town	Wetzel	335	333	139	149
Bethlehem village	Ohio	2 679	2 461	966	812	Logan city	Logan	3 006	3 311	1 314	1 385
Beverly town	Randolph	485	470	201	169	Last Creek town	Harrison	596	571	213	198
Blacksville town	Manangalia	248	264	103	106	Lumberport town	Harrison	930	957	356	376
Bluefield city	Mercer	15 882	15 921	6 535	6 038	Mabscott town	Raleigh	1 663	1 254	614	435
Ballaw town	Jefferson	675	943	293	302	McMechen city	Marshall	2 406	2 808	1 020	1 015
Bramwell town	Mercer	992	1 125	391	388	Madison city	Baone	3 209	2 342	1 281	892
Brandonville town	Preston	90	82	40	32	Man town	Logan	1 331	1 201	491	523
Bridgeport city	Harrison	6 655	4 777	2 516	1 565	Mannginton city	Marian	3 017	2 747	1 244	1 064
Bruceton Mills town	Preston	296	209	161	73	Marlinton town	Pacahantas	1 363	1 286	587	518
Buckhannon city	Upshur	6 863	7 261	2 619	2 397	Marmet town	Kanawha	2 188	2 339	888	816
Buffala town	Putnam	1 045	831	403	286	Martinsburg city	Berkeley	13 075	14 626	5 802	5 478
Burnsville town	Braxton	535	591	228	238	Mason town	Mason	1 378	1 319	566	441
						Masontown town	Preston	1 062	868	426	303
Carra town	Ritchie	432	412	170	146	Matewan town	Mingo	803	651	301	242
Camden-On Gauley town	Webster	234	243	88	92	Mataoka town	Mercer	607	608	263	255
Cameron city	Marshall	1 473	1 537	617	633	Meadow Bridge town	Fayette	518	429	214	153
Capan Bridge town											

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Incorporated Places	Counties	Population		Housing units	
		1980 (preliminary)	1970	1980 (preliminary)	1970
Richwood city	Nicholas	3 552	3 717	1 495	1 354
Ridgeley town	Mineral	995	1 112	422	406
Ripley city	Jackson	3 424	3 244	1 336	1 113
Rivesville town	Marion	1 328	1 108	560	406
Romney city	Hampshire	2 091	2 364	832	806
Ronceverte city	Greenbrier	2 184	1 981	863	746
Rowlesburg town	Preston	981	829	388	309
Rupert town	Greenbrier	1 276	1 027	515	375
St. Albans city	Kanawha	12 236	14 356	5 040	4 813
St. Marys city	Pleasants	2 216	2 348	1 006	913
Salem city	Harrison	2 701	2 597	888	785
Shepherdstown town	Jefferson	1 775	1 688	425	401
Shinnston city	Harrison	3 056	2 576	1 188	968
Sistersville city	Tyler	2 367	2 246	999	830
Smithers city	Total	1 441	2 020	579	646
	Fayette (pt. in)	1 439	1 837	578	602
	Kanawha (pt. in)	2	183	1	44
Smithfield town	Wetzel	281	294	125	117
Sophia town	Raleigh	1 193	1 303	459	445
South Charleston city	Kanawha	15 612	16 333	6 690	6 080
Spencer city	Roane	2 802	2 271	1 216	955
Star City town	Monongalia	1 446	1 312	671	463
Stonewood city	Harrison	2 052	1 950	795	659
Summersville town	Nicholas	2 974	2 429	1 153	820
Sutton town	Broxton	1 175	1 031	547	402
Sylvester town	Baane	260	245	102	91
Terro Alto town	Preston	1 937	1 474	801	534
Thamas city	Tucker	750	713	336	296
Thurmond town	Fayette	66	86	22	37
Triadelphia town	Ohio	1 457	547	558	200
Tunnelltown town	Preston	500	369	208	167
Union town	Monroe	728	566	335	239
Volley Grove village	Ohio	600	509	214	182
Vienna city	Wood	11 482	11 549	4 445	3 658
Wor city	McDowell	2 149	2 004	785	669
Wardensville town	Hardy	253	288	110	117
Woyne town	Woyne	1 480	1 385	624	490
Weirton city	Total	25 073	27 131	9 620	8 608
	Brooke (pt. in)	4 160	4 681	1 727	1 527
	Hancock (pt. in)	20 913	22 450	7 893	7 081
Welch city	McDowell	3 848	4 149	1 661	1 556
Wellsburg city	Braake	3 972	4 600	1 653	1 639
West Hamlin town	Lincoln	646	715	279	259
West Liberty town	Ohio	745	...	306	...
West Logan town	Lagan	638	685	252	241
West Milford town	Harrison	513	356	185	132
Weston city	Lewis	6 273	7 323	2 480	2 198
Westover city	Monongalia	4 891	5 086	2 020	1 750
West Union town	Doddridge	1 079	1 141	481	467
Wheeling city	Total	43 141	48 188	18 411	17 862
	Marshall (pt. in)	194	...	79	...
	Ohio (pt. in)	42 947	48 188	18 332	17 862
White Sulphur Springs city	Greenbrier	3 355	2 869	1 433	1 025
Whitesville town	Baane	700	781	298	322
Williamson city	Mingo	5 164	5 831	2 150	2 147
Williamstown city	Wood	2 718	2 743	1 027	922
Winfield town	Putnam	324	328	139	119
Womelsdorf town	Randolph	301	234	113	76
Warthinton town	Marion	328	288	137	118

Table 3. **Population and Housing Unit Counts for Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas (SMSA's): 1980 and 1970**

[Counts relate to SMSA's designated as of January 1, 1980. For meaning of symbols, see text]

SMSA's

CHARLESTON, W. VA.

	Population		Housing units	
	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
The area	260 637	257 140	104 257	88 096
Charleston city	62 264	71 505	27 870	27 153
Outside central city	198 373	185 635	76 387	60 943
Kanawha County	223 883	229 515	90 578	78 999
Putnam County	36 754	27 625	13 679	9 097

HUNTINGTON-ASHLAND, W. VA.-KY.-OHIO

	Population		Housing units	
	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
That part of the area in West Virginia	151 502	144 499	60 386	50 323
Huntington city	63 626	74 315	27 709	27 712
Outside central city	87 876	70 184	32 677	22 611
Cabell County	106 407	106 918	43 574	37 966
Wayne County	45 095	37 581	16 812	12 357

PARKERSBURG-MARIETTA, W. VA.-OHIO

	Population		Housing units	
	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
That part of the area in West Virginia	96 716	90 972	38 039	31 395
Parkersburg city	39 403	44 208	16 961	16 184
Outside central city	57 313	46 764	21 078	15 211
Wirt County	4 652	4 154	2 022	1 740
Wood County	92 064	86 818	36 017	29 655

STEUBENVILLE-WEIRTON, OHIO-W. VA.

	Population		Housing units	
	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
That part of the area in West Virginia	70 817	70 192	25 995	21 830
Weirton city	25 073	27 131	9 620	8 608
Outside central city	45 744	43 061	16 375	13 222
Brooke County	30 008	30 443	10 880	9 341
Hancock County	40 809	39 749	15 115	12 489

WHEELING, W. VA.-OHIO

	Population		Housing units	
	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970
That part of the area in West Virginia	102 855	101 037	39 988	34 748
Wheeling city	43 141	48 188	18 411	17 862
Outside central city	59 714	52 849	21 577	16 886
Marshall County	41 391	37 598	15 501	12 350
Ohio County	61 464	63 439	24 487	22 398

Table 4. **Population and Housing Unit Counts for Congressional Districts: 1980 and 1970**

[Counts relate to congressional districts as delineated for the 96th Congress. For meaning of symbols, see text]

**The State
Congressional Districts**

	Population		Housing units	
	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970 ¹	1980 (prelim- inary)	1970 ¹
The State	1 930 787	1 744 237	745 822	597 266
First	457 629	436 337	177 271	150 044
Second	521 799	436 140	207 086	154 038
Third	467 632	434 165	181 910	148 617
Fourth	483 727	437 595	179 555	144 567

¹Population counts for congressional districts are based on 1970 census complete-count data; housing unit counts are based on 1970 census sample data. These counts may not add to State totals because of post-1970 census corrections which were not assigned by congressional district and also because of sampling variability for housing unit counts.

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